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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : **Mail Stop: Amendment**
Kazuhide MIZUTANI et al. : Patent Art Unit: 3744
Serial No.: 10/521,020 : Examiner: Mohammad M. Ali
Filed: January 12, 2005 : **Confirmation No. 9469**
For: REFRIGERANT PIPE WASHING METHOD, :
AIR CONDITIONER UPDATING METHOD, :
AND AIR CONDITIONER (*As Amended*) :

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

[X] No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS				SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
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TOTAL 3	- 20	=	0	x 26 =	\$	x 52 =	\$
INDEP 2	- 3	=	0	x 110 =	\$	x 220 =	\$
[] 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM				+ 195 =	\$	+ 390 =	\$
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

In response to the November 6, 2008 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 5-7 are pending, with claims 5 and 7 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.